

SENATE JOINT RESOLUTION 438
By Rochelle

A RESOLUTION to honor Angela Yun-Chi Cheng, 1996
Salutatorian of Ezell Harding Christian School.

WHEREAS, it is appropriate that this General Assembly honor those individuals who through their natural talents and unflagging commitment have achieved excellence in their academic careers; and

WHEREAS, Angela Yun-Chi Cheng is one such outstanding student who has distinguished herself as salutatorian of the 1996 class at Ezell Harding Christian School; and

WHEREAS, through long hours of diligent study, steady composure during examinations, and untiring commitment of time and talent, Angela Yun-Chi Cheng has achieved extraordinary academic success, and has joined the ranks of the elite students of Tennessee and our nation; and

WHEREAS, in her laudable high school career, Angela has earned an exceptional 4.0 grade point average; and

WHEREAS, Angela Yun-Chi Cheng's display of intellectual prowess and inner drive surely bodes well for her future success; and

WHEREAS, Angela holds membership in many school organizations, including the Spanish Club, the Yearbook Staff, the Beta Club, the Red Cross Club, the Quiz Bowl Academic Team, the Pep Club, the Fellowship of Christian Athletes and the Student Council; and

WHEREAS, she is also very athletically inclined; she broke the school record for the 3200 meter run, placed 5th in the 4x 800 meter regional track meet, played varsity basketball and ran cross-country track; and

WHEREAS, in her spare time, Angela tutors, baby-sits, coaches basketball and track and campaigns for congressional candidates; and

WHEREAS, she is an active member of Rural Hill Church of Christ, where she participates in many activities; and

WHEREAS, Angela is the recipient of the Spanish I Academic Award and the Bible III Academic Award; this outstanding student is also a Tennessee Honor Scholar and has been included in *Who's Who Among American High School Students*; and

WHEREAS, Angela's noteworthy achievements are a great source of pride for her parents, her school, and her community; and

WHEREAS, Angela's dedication to excellence is clearly deserving of the respect, admiration, and commendation of this legislative body; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE NINETY-NINTH GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES CONCURRING, That we hereby commend and honor the 1996 Ezell Harding Christian School Salutatorian, Angela Yun-Chi Cheng, on her impressive academic achievement, and we extend to her our best wishes for a happy, successful future.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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